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SIRE to have their natural teeth, we would say

that we are now better prepared than ever before to

supply them with the most perfect and lasting

artificial teeth. We can and are making better

and more perfect teeth than ever before. We are

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LOCAL LACONICS.

Brief Notes and Comments on Current City Events.

Did you get your new hat?

A wholesale hatter store is the latest

addition to North Wheeling.

The skating rink at the corner of Four-

teenth and Market streets opens this evening.

The Sol Smith Russell Company arrived

yesterday morning and stopped at the St.

James.

The Superintendent of the Street Car

Company is having a number of the idle

street cars repaired at the stable.

Cocktails will play at Oglebay's Hall,

Bridgetown, to-morrow evening for the

Silver Leaf Social. The club is looking

for a pleasant time.

The Junior Gardfield and Arthur Club

will hold an important meeting this

evening, and as this will be their last full

attendance is deemed.

The Sixth Ward Drum Corps have

issued invitations for a select ball at Mc-

Lain's Hall Friday evening, November 12.

Music by Friday's band.

The family of Mr. G. W. Atkinson is

sorely afflicted just now, two of his little

children being seriously ill with scarlet

fever, and a little more will be painfully

suffering from the same.

The Eighth Ward Gardfield and Arthur

club will give a grand ball to-morrow

evening at Westwood Hall. F. Chapman, J.

H. Brown, H. Kunkle and W. H. West

have the affair in charge.

The Junior Gardfield and Arthur club

will meet this evening at the Wigwam,

for the purpose of transacting very im-

portant business. Every member is ear-

nestly requested to attend.

Some horses have the epizootic so bad,

that their owners compel them to stand,

where is the society for the prevention

of cruelty to animals?

If the Street Commissioners would have

a stop put to the backing of heavy coal

teams and carts on the board walk above

Seventh street, all repairs could not be

made on to repair it so.

JUSTICE WAIT, of the Sixth ward, is hav-

ing a sartemite with the inmates of the

"Barracks." Yesterday he issued a war-

rant for Elizabeth Baker who is accused of

using vulgar epithets by Ellen McNeal.

At the Republican jubilee, at Han-

town, Tuesday evening, which, by the

way, was an exceptionally enthusiastic one,

Messrs. Joseph Patterson and James Bart

were severely burned about their faces

with powder.

JOHN POLK, a former watchman at

Boon's tunnel on the Hempfield railroad,

died yesterday of heart disease. He was

born in this city. His remains will be taken

to Washington, Pa., for interment. He

leaves a large family.

MR. TRO. KOSK, formerly of the well

known firm of Koser & Krantz, has been

his fortunes with the house of Cotts &

Diehl. The new firm of Cotts & Diehl

is now in the building through

out advertising columns to-day.

COCKADES received a call for their or-

chestra to play at Mr. Delaplane's, near Short

Creek, on Friday evening, but had to

decline on account of other engagements.

He was also called to play at Turner Hall

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BY HIS OWN HANDS.

Terrible and Bloody Suicide of Peter

Miller of South Wheeling.

Peter Miller, a German coal miner aged

fifty years, who has been a resident of

Wheeling since the autumn of 1864, took

his own life yesterday forenoon in his

dwelling at No. 4831 Wood street, Eighth

ward, in the most terrible and bloody

manner that can well be imagined. He

went up stairs to a bare dismal room with

a low ceiling, in the rear part of the build-

ing, down on the floor, placed the muzzle

of one of his double-barreled shot guns, and

with the butt resting on the floor, pulled

the trigger and blew the entire face and

upper part of his head off. A few

moments later, when the man lay rigid

and cold in death, drenched in a pool of

blood, his brain and gore bespattered on

the floor and wall, the sight was about as

ghastly and shocking as human eyes ever

looked upon. In one corner was his

nose, in another his eyes and pieces of the

skull. In fact the gloomy, unlighted

garret contained a scene of self murder

which was sickening and horrible in the

extreme. Neighboring men and hall

grown boys snatched in and out and

shuddered and spoke with bated breath as

they gazed upon it.

About two years ago Peter Miller

had been engaged in mining coal. At that

time he contracted a cold, which settled

in his eyes and resulted in partial blind-

ness. During the past two years he had

only been able to see very imperfectly and

could not do any work. He had been under

treatment for his disability at New York,

Baltimore, and Cincinnati. Dr. Pipes,

Prizell and Hardesty, of this city, also

gave him medical attendance, but with-

out any relief. Thereupon he grew

down hearted and melancholy. He often

complained of his loss of sight and inabil-

ity to work. These are the causes given

by his relatives for his rash and bloody

deed.

Miller's wife died about three years ago,

three of his children are also buried. The

only surviving member of the family is a

son of twelve years named Tom Miller.

Miller owned the house, with the lot on

which he kept horses, with his little

son, and a part of the dwelling was oc-

cupied by another family. Three brothers

of his—Theodore, Jacob (a twin) and

John—also live in the city. The

doctor said nothing wrong with Peter

being talked rationally up till last evening,

and seemingly acted as he had

always done. A few days ago, however,

he said to me while in a melancholy

mood: "Well, there is a change of some

kind going on."

Yesterday Peter went into his neigh-

bor Peter Righier's house, and told him

the officers were after his taxes again, and

that he had no money to pay them. He

said to know if a lawyer could sell his

property for the taxes. Righier answered

that he thought not, and Miller went away

apparently satisfied.

Justice Leander Mix was called at 1

o'clock and held an inquest over the body

of Peter Miller, who was found dead in

his house. The inquest was held at the

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A. F. AND A. M.

Second Session of the Grand Lodge, Last

Night—Election and Installation of

Officers—Banquet, Briefs, etc.

The Grand Lodge of Masons of West

Virginia, held its second session, last night,

at Masonic Hall, Grand Master Arbeckie

presiding. An election for officers for the

ensuing year, resulted as follows:

C. J. Faulkner, Jr., Grand Master, Mar-

tinsburg.

John H. Riley, Deputy Grand Master,

Martinsburg.

W. H. Fick, Senior Grand Warden,

Martinsburg.

W. G. Bennett, Junior Grand Warden,

Weston.

H. Williams, Grand Treasurer, Wheel-

ing.

Odell S. Long, Grand Secretary, Wheel-

ing.

C. H. Collier, Grand Lecturer, Wheel-

ing.

Samuel H. Austin, Grand Chaplain,

Levittown.

Geo. E. Thornburg, Senior Grand Dea-

con, Cabell county.

Frank Rex, Junior Grand Deacon, Par-

kerson.

H. Keaborn, Grand Marshal, Sink's

Grove, Monroe county.

A. G. Bailey, Grand Pursuivant, Spencer,

Roane county.

Timothy Biss, Grand Tyler, Wheel-

ing.

The Grand Master elect, C. J. Faulkner,

Jr., was then installed by Grand Master

Arbeckie, and the other officers elect were

subsequently installed by Grand Master

Faulkner.

The following lodges were then char-

tered:

John Dove Lodge, No. 78, at Peterswa-

mon, county.

Frankford Lodge, No. 97, at Frankford,

Greenbrier county.

PERSONAL POINTS.—The Worcester

Daily Spy, of the 8th inst., has the fol-

lowing notice of a Wheeling lady: "A revival

to continue several weeks was begun at

Grace Church yesterday."

Boy of Wheeling, West Virginia, and

Mrs. Dr. Keller, of Boston, are to conduct

the services, which will be held daily at

7 and 7 P. M., this evening excepted, on ac-

count of Dr. Vincent's lecture. These

ladies were passengers on the steamer

Rhode Island, Friday night, and

Mrs. Keller was so overcome with the

shock on the steamer that she was unable

to be present at the meetings yesterday,

but is expected to-day or to-morrow. Mrs.

Boyd, in the forenoon, gave a brief ac-

count of her experience on the Rhode

Island, her story corroborating the news-

paper reports of the accident. She speak-

ed earnestly for the unconverted to pre-

pare themselves for the judgment day.

The changes of the sea as identical

with those to be met in every day life, and

against which all should be prepared. At

6 P. M. she conducted a prayer meeting in

the vestry of the church, nearly every

seat in the room being occupied. Cum-

berland, Md., is visiting friends in the

city.

Mr. J. A. Norton, for a long time pre-

sident of the First Presbyterian Church,

will leave for Pittsburgh in a few days

to engage in business in that city.

Norton is the first churchman to